

CHAPTER 8 ON-LINE LOTTERY GAMES

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800 CONDUCT OF ON-LINE GAMES

- 800.1 The Agency may operate any of the on-line games described in Chapter 9 of this title.

AUTHORITY: Unless otherwise noted, the authority for this chapter is §4 of the Law to Legalize Lotteries, Daily Numbers Games, and Bingo and Raffles for Charitable Purposes in the District of Columbia, D.C. Law 3-172, D.C. Code §2-2501 *et seq.* (1994 Repl. Vol.).

SOURCE: Final Rulemaking published at 39 DCR 7439, 7450 (October 2, 1992).

801 GAME INSTRUCTIONS

- 801.1 Game instructions shall be issued in accordance with §701 prior to the implementation of any on-line game.

SOURCE: Final Rulemaking published at 39 DCR 7439, 7450 (October 2, 1992).

802 DRAWINGS

- 802.1 The Executive Director shall determine the time, frequency, date and method of the drawing(s) for each on-line game and shall include the information in game instructions issued pursuant to §801.1.
- 802.2 The purpose of on-line game drawings shall be to select winning numbers at random with the aid of mechanical drawing equipment.
- 802.3 All on-line game drawings shall be conducted in the presence of a witness who may be a member of the public or a representative of an independent auditing firm.
- 802.4 To the extent possible, on-line drawings shall be recorded on a video and audio tape which shall be retained by the Agency, but the failure to record the draw or retain the tape, or the partial or total failure of technical, electronic, or mechanical equipment used to conduct or record the draw shall not invalidate the draw or

change the outcome of a game once it has been announced by the Executive Director.

SOURCE: Final Rulemaking published at 39 DCR 7439, 7450 (October 2, 1992).

803 METHOD OF PLACING A BET FOR AN ON-LINE GAME

803.1 The Executive Director shall determine the method of placing a bet for each game, including, but not limited to, a player placing a bet by:

- (a) Indicating the requisite digits or numbers which shall be entered manually into the terminal by the on-line agent;
- (b) Requesting a "Quick Pick" option; or
- (c) Presenting a completed selection slip to an on-line agent.

803.2 Game instructions issued to agents and made available to the public shall include the method by which bets are placed for each game.

SOURCE: Final Rulemaking published at 39 DCR 7439, 7451 (October 2, 1992).

804 SELECTION SLIP

804.1 The Executive Director may provide selection slips at no cost to the players.

804.2 Selection slips are provided solely for the convenience of players and shall have no monetary or prize value or constitute evidence of a bet or of the numbers selected.

804.3 If a selection slip is used, the player shall do the following:

- (a) Select the requisite number of squares for each single lettered board for that game;
- (b) Indicate the "Quick Pick" option on the selection slip;
- (c) Present a selection slip for a combination "Quick Pick" and manual selection; or
- (d) Indicate a combination of "Quick Pick" and other methods.

804.4 The requisite numbers and the associated letter constitute a single game board on a selection slip.

804.5 Game boards may be selected in any order.

804.6 Selection slips shall be processed through the terminal by the agent, and tickets shall be issued only through the terminal.

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- 804.7 If the selection slip is rejected by the terminal, the wager is not valid and the player may submit another selection slip.
- 804.8 The use of facsimiles of selection slips, copies of selection slips, or other materials that are inserted into the terminal's selection slip reader and are not printed by the Agency or approved by the Executive Director shall be prohibited.
- 804.9 No device shall be connected to a lottery terminal to enter bets except as may be approved by the Executive Director.
- 804.10 All bets using selection slips shall be marked on the selection slip by hand. No machine printed selections slips shall be used to enter bets.

SOURCE: Final Rulemaking published at 39 DCR 7439, 7451 (October 2, 1992); as amended by Final Rulemaking published at 40 DCR 6959, 6961 (October 1, 1993).

805 GAME SELL OUT PROHIBITION

- 805.1 Game sell outs shall be prohibited and no person shall directly and knowingly sell a ticket or combination of tickets to any person or entity which would guarantee the purchaser a prize, including a **POWER BALL®** Grand Prize.

SOURCE: Final Rulemaking published at 40 DCR 6959, 6961 (October 1, 1993).

